# LOCAL NEWS.

CITY COUNCIL. The regular semi-monthly meeting of the City Council was held last night. For official proceedings see another column.

Board of Aldermen, -Mr. Markell was called to the chair in the absence of the President. Mr. Suttle asked if the Finance Committee had taken any steps to get the old tax bills from Mr. Stillson, formerly Corporation Attorney. The tax bills, he thought, ought to be in the hands of the committee that they might have them as a basis on which to make calculations with regard to taxes for the next fiscal

Mr. Harmon stated what he had formerly reported concerning a contract between Mr. Stillson and a former Council, and that Mr. S. had been waiting to get the bills for the year succeeding the one for which he held bills.

Mr. Agnew said he thought he remembered that Mr. S. was obliged to give bond, and had failed to do so.

Mr. French said that no list of these bills held by Mr. Stillson could be found in the Au-

ditor's office. Mr. Suttle said that it was probable Mr. S. had given receipt for the bills, and if he had given bond as he should, and had not carried out his part of the contract, he could not expect to be paid, nor could he expect to hold the bills always. It was a hard case to keep the city out of these taxes through the deliu-

quency of any one. The chairman of the Finance Committee promised to attend to the matter.

Mr. Suttle reported with reference to the appplication of Michael Smith to repair the street in front of his house, on Queen street, near Patrick, it would involve such extensive repairs in the entire neighborhood as to preclude by its cost the execution of the work

asked for by the petitioner. Mr. Simpson reported the very bad condition of the payement in front of the property of Mr. Leatherland on Henry street, the sidewalk being a foot higher in some places than in others. A resolution was adopted instructing the Superintendent of Police to require the owners of property on Henry street beween Queen and Cameron to fill up these points to the proper level.

Mr. Suttle read the report of the special committee to rearrange the wards of the city. The report makes Prince and St. Asaph streets the dividing lines. He stated that the lines had been drawn so as to avoid the imputation of partizan dealing. while the division was an improvement as more equally dividing the city into wards.

The bill was put upon its passage, the rule being suspended, and the chair declared it adopted.

Mr. Suttle asked for the ayes and nays. Mr. Simpson offered a resolution to authorize the improvement of the square bounded by Princess, Fairfax, Royal and Oronoco streets, by putting in a drain.

His object was to abate a nuisance which existed there, and improve property. A deep gully ran down that neighborhood conveying the entire drainage of Pitt street diagonally across that lot.

Mr. Suttle inquired if Council could go on private property to make these changes. After further discussion the resolution was adopted.

A communication from W. G. Cazenove was read on the subject of the title of the city to property at the foot of Cameron street, west side. He claimed that his title to it was perfect until the city refunded the entire cost of improving that property, it having been reclaimed from a marsh which formerly existed

Mr. Agnew said this termination of the street was one of the pieces of property designed by the committee on the subject of a new court house to be sold to assist in defraying the expenses of that building. He did not see how the city could sell this any more than the foot

of King street. Mr. French said if the city in 1810 had the right to grant any one the exclusive right to this property by lease, then the city could take it back now. It has been occupied as private property long enough. He further claimed that Mr. Cazenove's property would be more accessible by the widening of the street there. These persons had had possession for 60 years. but that should surely be no reason why the city could not reclaim what was its own, and if it could not be sold then lease it so that the city could derive some bénefit from it.

Mr. Agnew said that if he owned property on the opposite side of Cameron street he would apply to Council to have this street opened, and he would think that his request should be granted. But he did not think Council could do away with the termination of Cameron any more than with that of King

or any other street. The debate was continued by Messrs. Agnew and French, and by Mr. Suttle, who said that he did not want to get the corporation into any difficulty, but it seemed to him that if the city could lease this property to Herbert & Cole man 60 years ago, surely it had the right to reclaim it now by complying with the terms of the lease. As he understood it east of Union street was made land, and to this the city surely had an equal right with the other holders.

Mr. Simpson said that a provision of the lease was that it should be reserved for the use of market people landing there. He was not certain that the city could sell this property, though he thought that it was as well for the corporation to hold it again.

The subject was then passed over. A resolution that the Washington and Ohio Railroad be granted the exclusive use of Water and Union streets from the depot to Montgomery, inclusive, for --- years, was read.

Mr. Suttle was opposed to the exclusive use of the streets for so long a time as was proposed to fill the blank with (30 years.)

Mr. Simpson thought that the city could hardly build these streets for a long time to come, and if the railroad company would grade them it would be a much needed improvement. He recalled the opposition to the city allowing the same railroad the use of Water street, the use of which brought that magnificent improvement, the Washington and Ohio Railroad de pot. He would, however, modify the resolution by striking out the word exclusive.

Mr. Suttle thought it objectionable to give these parties the use of these streets-valuable city property-for, so long, and then pay them back for their improvements. It would be really a sale of them, as, if the improve-ments were very costly, the city could not pay and the Railroad would hold them forever.

Mr. Simpson said with regard to the period -30 years-he would like to modify that, as he wanted to live to see the end of it. Mr. Agnew was opposed to paying the R. R. Co. the original outlay. If the R. R. wanted the use of these streets for so long it could lime 100 bbls., tallow 2 bbls., spokes 2,000,

surely improve them itself for the consideration of their use. He moved to fill up the blank with 15 years. Without a vote on this, the resolution was referred to the Committee on General Laws. The Board concurred in the resolution of the

lower Board to authorize the special commit- to afford those who may desire an opportunity tee on the Court House to sell the old C. II. on Columbus street.

The committee on public property reported in reference to the repairs to the Star Engine house, that it would cost \$510 and that the take notice. work was in progress.

The Board declined to concur in the action

erty were destroyed. It was an act of simple iustice to that property to put this fire plug

Mr. Suttle said he thought the request a reasonable one. He understood that Mr. Turnbull, the lessee of the Factory, would pay a part of the cost. On the subject of the repairs to the Star

Engine house Mr. Harmon wanted to know if the committee were authorized to enter into not money enough in the treasury to pay the corporation officers. Mr. Agnew said it was evident that we were

ations himself. Let us be cautious; we were spending money as lavishly as though we were A resolution was made to authorise the Su-

perintendent of Police to purchase flagging to put down at the crossing in front of the residence of Mr. Packwood, on Wolfe street.

Mr. Harmon.—"Well, go on, here we are, appropriating about \$1500 a night." Resolu-

tion adopted. The papers on the subject of repairing the street in front of Michael Smith's property

on upper Queen street, come in. Mr. Suttle said that it would cost at least \$1500 to do what was asked. Mr. Simpson said that it would do the prop erty of Mr. Smith no possible good to do what he asked unless entensive changes were made in the entire street in that neighborhood.

The Board declined to concur in the report

of the committee authorizing these repairs

and then adjourned. Common Conneil.-The board met last night a bare quorum being present, and but half a dozen persons outside the bar. In the absence of the President, Mr. Massey took the chair and Mr. Shinn acted as Secretary.

Mr. Evans, from a Conference Committee reported verbally that the committee had agreed to report in favor of agreeing to the action of the Board of Aldermen, but the original papers were missing.

The committee on repair of the Star Engine House, reported that the work had been begun; adverse to the crection of a fire plug at the cotton factory; and in favor of releasing R H. Gemeny from his lease, when he settled for rent, now due, but that the rent continue until

Mr. Massey stated that Mr. Turnbull was

subject was recommitted. The memorial of the Columbia Fire Co. asking that the tenure by which the steam fire engine Columbia is granted the company be so for her to get out of harbor. Very few fish changed as to allow the company to retain the | boats have come up to-day. engine so long as they should obey the orders of

the fire department, was read.

A motion by Mr. Evans to lay on the table, and by Mr. Price to postpone to the next meeting having been rejected.

Mr. Harrison explained that the Columbia Co. had raised \$700, and were about to buy a some outside drift, a future council might undo what this council had done.

Mr. Shinn was one of those who had favored placing the engine further up town, but he thought that now the company had the engine they should be allowed to keep it so long as they obey the rules laid down by the City Council.

The vote on the resolution was taken: five voted in the affirmative, and three in the nega

The chair—It is carrred. Mr. Evans-I differ from the chair. I think it takes a majority of the whole board (9.) The chair said that as this was not an appro

priation a majority of those voting sufficed Mr. Evans doubted this, and some conversation occurred, but a copy of the city charter having been obtained, the chair read that a majority of the whole board was required for the passage of any "law, order or resolution. He decided that the resolution was lost.

 $\Lambda$  motion to authorize the Superintendent of way asked for by Messrs. Packwood and F. L. Smith, gave rise to a discussion as to the meaning of a former order authorizing the Superintendent of Police to lay the foot-way as soon as he came in possession of flag stones Mr. Shinn knew of no way by which the flag stones would come into his possession ex-

to steal them. After further debate the resolution was

agreed to. Mr. Parker again called the attention of the Committee on Streets, to the non action on the petition of Michael Smith for a gutter.

Mr. Harrison explained that the work of repairing this gutter would necessitate a gutter for two squares, and would cost \$600.

Mr. Parker did not think \$600 was to be compared to the health of the city, and for Alexandria and Georgetown. thought that poor men's wishes were too little regarded here; it was no wonder there was so

much difficulty in collecting taxes. A report in relation to a change in the boundaries of the wards of the city was read and postponed until the next meeting. The report made recommends that Prince

and St. Asaph streets be the dividing lines for the wards; that the wards retain their present numbers; that the old law in reference to the division be repealed and that the proposed act be in force from its passage.

Corporation Court-Yesterday's Pro-CEEDINGS CONTINUED .- After the close of yesterday's report the case of the Commonwealth vs. David Taylor, indicted for house breaking and stealing, was concluded, the jury rendering a verdict of guilty, and the Court sentencing the prisoner to three months confinement in the county jail.

To-DAY .- Smoot vs. Jamison et al., continued with order for peremptory trial at next

Com. vs. T. N. Carter, recognizance forfeit ed and execution ordered. Hesselius Smith et al., vs. W. N. Berkley, trespass: jury sworn and case in progress.

RECEIPTS BY RAILROAD. - Among the articles of produce, &c., received here by the O., A. & M. R. R. for last week, were the following:-Corn 6.700 bushels, wheat 3,750 bushels, oats 3,214 bushels, rye 332 bushels, potatoes 395 bushels, mill feed 15 bushels, corn meal 45 bushels, dried fruit 70 bushels, seed 45 bushels, beans 15 bushels, onions 5 bushels, flour 719 bbls., bacon 1,485 lbs., eggs 95 bbls., butter 10 bbls., leather 24 rolls, hides 4 bundles, rags 3,160 lbs., lard 8 bbls., cows, calves, &c., 96, cattle, sheep and hogs 22 cars.

SPECIAL TERM OF THE CORPORATION COURT. Judge Lowe will hold a special term of the Corporation Court on Monday next, in order to take out licenses for Ordinary and other purposes, required by law to be taken out from the Court. Parties interested will therefore SALT!

RAHLROAD ACCIDENT. - A dispatch received of the other branch in refusing to place from Manassas to-day states that owing to an Mr. Sumpson said that the corporation should exercise in this matter not liberality but justice to property holders. It fire were not given, but no one was a very serious matter to the city if that propagate a very serious matter to the city if the very depth of t

HYDRAULION STEAM FIRE ENGINE COMPA-NY .- A called meeting of this company was held last night. President Barton in the chair. An invitation from a committee of the Columbia Steam Fire Engine Company, to participate in a parade on the 22d of May, was received and read, whereupon, on motion of Mr. R. L. Carne, said invitation was accepted conditionthis extravagant outlay of \$510. He was op- ally; the condition being that a sufficient numposed to such expenditure when there was ber of the members would agree to uniform in time to participate. A uniform was then partially adopted, and Messrs. Charles Ward, very recklessly spending money here; he had perhaps voted for too many of these appropriate a committee to ascertain how many members would procure it. As there is much difference of opinion as to the color of the proposed uniform, a difficulty in the matter is expected. which may prevent the company from appearing, though the committee express the opinion that enough members will uniform to make a good turn out. After receiving and referring the name of a candidate for membership, the company adjourned.

INTERRUPTION TO CANAL NAVIGATION. -- In onsequence of an accident, by which two of the lock gates in the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, at the Point of Rocks, were knocked out, navigation was interrupted yesterday. It is supposed that about twenty-four hours delay will be caused by the accident a short time being necessary to repair the damage and replace the gates. A number of boats that were this side of the Point of Rocks reached here to-day.

[FOUND DEAD. - A colored man, named Joseph Simpson, who has been living out in the northwestern suburb of the city, was found dead in his bed this morning, by one of his relations. An inquest was held upon the body. by Coroner Beach, and after an examination by Dr. R. C. Powell, a verdict was rendered of death from heart desease. The man went to bed last night in apparent good health.

RIVER NEWS .- Affairs on the river were very quiet to-day and but few vessels were arriving. No damage has been reported by the willing to pay \$50 towards the erection of a wind last night. Steamer Lady of the Lake fire plug at the cotton factory; whereupon the from Norfolk reports the prevalence of a violent gale, there about 4 o'clock yesterday evening, when the steamer left, making it difficult

SUMMONED TO RICHMOND, -Messrs. George Washington, R. M. Lawson and other merchants of this city, have been summoned to Richmond to testify before the U.S. District Court, in the case of Peter Fegan, charged pair of horses, but they feared that owing to with an infraction of the Internal revenue laws. The witnesses leave here to-morrow.

> ALEXANDRIA LIBRARY Co. -- A meeting of he Board of Directors of the Alexandria Library Company will be held to night at 8 o'clock. Full atten dance on the part of the Directors is desired as matters of importance will be presented for consideration.

THE WEATHER. -There was much lightning in the Northern sky last night, with some thunder, and rain was expected. But the clouds cleared off during the night, and this morning and if unsuccessful 12000 more of the same the weather was cooler. There was, also, last night, for a while, the appearance of an Aurora

Telegraphic Communication between this city and Harrisonburg was opened to-day, the Secretary of the Virginia Telegraph company Police to purchase flag-stones to lay the foot- this evening receiving a congratulatory dispatch on the occasion of the transmission of messages between the two places.

GIFT ENTERTAINMENT.-It will be seen by reference to the advertisement in the Gazette that "Morton's Gift Entertainment" takes cept by purchase. He could not be expected place in this city on Saturday next at Liberty

> RAILROAD REPAIRS.-Ties are being hauled along St. Asaph street, to be used in repairing the track of the Washington and Alexandria Railroad from King street out.

Coal. - Thirty-five boats, carrying 3,880.17 tons of coal left Cumberland, Md. on Monday

FISH.-The arrivals of fish to-day have been limited and prices advanced. There were a few wagons in from the country for supplies

ICE.-Mr. E. C. Atwell announces that he has commenced furnishing ice.

We are now sending to our country subscribers their accounts, which, in general, are each of them small, but in the aggregate are important to us. We would be much obliged by their attention to these bills.

POLICE REPORT.-The city, saving the noise of the wind, was remarkably quiet last night, and at police headquarters there was nothing of which to make a note, this morning. NIGHT REPORT .- Early in the night there was a good deal of heat lightning in the North and Northeast, and the wind blew "fresh" from the Southwest. About one o'clock this morning the wind veered to the Northwest and blew a gale, and temperature became much cooler. There were no disturbances nor any arrests, and but four lodgers, two females and two males, were accommodated at the station

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# TELEGRAPHIC.

#### DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.

FROM WASHINGTON.

CONGRESS WASHINGTON, April 12.-The Senate had under consideration to day the Ku Klux bill, and Mr. Saulsbury, of Delaware, spoke at

length in opposition to it.

The House of Representatives was occupied with the deficiency bill. MISCELLANEOUS.

The total registered vote of this District at o'clock this morning was 25,647 with a white majority of 5,691. Unless the white majority is much increased, Chipman will, it is thought, be elected.

#### FOREIGN NEWS.

LONDON, April 12.-The Paris special dis-

patch of the London Times says the report was widely spread last night that Montrogue had A great offensive movement by the Versailes troops was expected to take place to-day Wednesday. The Assembly adopted a resolution expressing regret that it was not enabled to assist at the funerals of the generals killed by

the insurgents. PARIS, April 11 .- Last night five gunboats at Pont de la Concord got up steam and went into action. The was heavy fighting, but the re-

sult is unknown. This morning at six the firing from Forts was furiously renewed.

The Versailles troops are accused of using explosive bullets, some being found in Fort At Fort Issy it was discovered that the bolts

on the gates were drawn, or broken off, proving the existence of traitors, among the National A meeting of women is to be held to-night for the purpose of organizing for the defence

Dambrowski has issued orders that no one shall leave Paris without permission. The Prussians at St. Denis have been reinforced with 5000 men. They will, however, re

spect the treaty of Versailles. Theirs has issued a fresh proclamation in which he says Generals McMahon, Ladmirault and Cissey have all taken their commands and Vinoy heads the reserves. The army increases every day. The President and the Assembly have a good understanding and are devoted to their work. Pay no attention to false reports to the contrary. It is not true that a fresh conspiracy has broken out in our ranks. Only the insurgents are perfidious. Irresistable measures, however, are in prepation to end the effusion of blood.

Good citizens are assured that for themselves they have nothing to fear. VERSAILLES, Tuesday night, April 11.-To-

night a blow is to be struck which the authorities hope will restore Paris to lawful government. The spies of that government in Paris have arranged the following programme: 18 000 loyalNational guards in Paris are organized. At a fixed hour 6000 will attack the Hotel de Ville, 6000 Belleville and 6000 Montmatre. At the same moment a grand attack of Porte Maillot will be made from Versailles and an effort made to get possession. At St. Lazar station large reserves will be ready and General Vinoyroie will take supreme command of the coup de main. The authorities are sanguine of success. The soldiers and sailors

are to form the leading attacking column. Twelve thousand men of the Old Imperial guards are ready to march at a moment's notice guard will be ready in ten days. There are 80 thousand men now at Versailles. The church of Notre Dame de Lacette has been sacked and placards of conciliation torn down. This morning the insurgents unsuccessfuly attempted to draw the Versailles troops into a trap at Asnieres.

London, April 12.—A special dispatch from Versailles to the London News says, Sartory Camp has been raised and the troops march to Paris. The Prassians have established a battery at St. Denis, the guns of which point toward Paris. The cure of the church of Madeline is reported assassinated by the Paris mob.

A special from Paris to the London Tele-graph says, the church Notre Dame de Lorette has been pillaged. Arrests are increasing. A dispatch from Paris says, a report from General Dumbrowski asserts that the result of the Versaillist reconnoisance at Asuteres has been greatly exaggerated. Severe measures are to be adopted again t the refractory Na-

The rumor of the death of Vermorel, the distinguished journalist is contradicted. General companies of the Commune guard are encamped at Asnieres. The rest of the

insurgent forces are in the trenches. Paris, April 11-Evening, via London, April 12.--Yesterday a sergeant of the National guard wounded a Prussian at St. Denis .-A conflict ensued between the French and Prussians and some members of the Commune soon made their appearance with a flag of truce, but the Prussians declined to recognize it. The disturbance, however, soon ceased.

The cannonade before Paris has recommenced and many shells are falling about Porte Maillot and in the Champ Elysees.

The Placards counseling conciliatory mea-sures towards the Versailles Government have been destroyed. The women of Paris have been invited to form a military organization for the defence of the city. Fort Montrogue was attacked by the army of Versailles at 10 o'clock promptly filled. this forenoon and a violent cannonade and rifle fire is yet in progress.

MARSEILLES. April 11.—The trial of the leaders of the insurrection which recently occurred in this city has been commenced and the case of Pellissier and Cremiens will be decided by Thursday. Tranquility prevails.

LONDON, April 12.—The Echo, of Cologue

says the French prisoners are leaving Germany for home at the rate of 1000 per day. The Echo adds; Only those known to be favorable to the Versailles Government are

allowed to depart. VERSILLES, April 12.—The cannonading about Paris is less frequent to-day, and nothing of importance has transpired.

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deep, with BRIUK TENEMENT thereon.

LOT No. 2—Adjoining lot No. 1 on the west, fronting on Jefferson street 23 feet 4 inches, and 100 feet deep, to an alley 3 feet 2 inches wide:

LOT No. 3—Adjoining lot No. 2 on the west, fronting on Jefferson street 23 feet 4 inches, and 100 feet deep to an alley 3 feet 2 inches wide.

Terms: One-third to be paid in cash, and the residue in 6, 12 and 18 months; the notes of the purchaser to be taken for the deferred nayments. purchaser to be taken for the deferred payments,

bearing interest from the day of sale, and the title to be retained until the entire purchase money is paid. WELLS A. HARPER. ap 4-eots

By Green & Wise, [Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

RUSTEES' SALE—By virtue of a deed of I trust, dated the 20th day of November, 1869. executed by Margaretta Ragan and Jeremiah Ragan, her husband, recorded in liber K, No. 4, rolio 365, of the land records of Fairfax county, Va. the undersigned, trustees, will sell, by public auction, at the Mayor's office, in the city of Alexandria, Va., at 12 o'clock m., on TUES-DAY, the 25th day of April, 1871, the following

described property, viz:

ALL THAT TRACT OF LAND, situated in
Fairfax county, Va., and lying south of "Great
Hunting Creek," and on the east side of the road
leading from Alexandria to Mount Vernon, being
SEVEN DISTINCT PARCELS OF LAND, containing 205 acres, 2 roods and 27 poles, more or less—all adjoining each other, and fully described in a deed from George G. Barton and Eliza M., his wife, to Jeremiah Ragan, dated

October 21st, 1865. Terms: Cash. Stamps and conveyancing at

the cost of the purchaser.

GEO. W. BRENT. Trustees.

mh 23-ts C. W. WATTLES. Trustees.

By Beck, Knox & Kerby, [Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.[
SALE OF A LIVERY STABLE on WASHINGTON STREET.—The subscribers, as
Commissioners of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, Va., in the suit of Henry A. Ar-nold vs. Alexander Arnold's Administrator et al., will sell, by public auction, in front of the Mayor's office, in the city of Alexandria, Va. on SATURDAY, the 15th day of April, 1871, the PROPERTY, on Washington street, east side, between King and Cameron, now and for some time occupied as a livery stable, the same being real estate of which Alexander Arnold died solved.

died seized.
Terms: One-third cash; the residue in three equal installments at 4, 8 and 12 months, respectively, from day of sale, with interest; title to be retained till full payment of purchase money, and purchaser to give bonds for deferred installments, with good personal security.

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Commissioners mh 11-eots By Han. C. Addison, Auctioneer. NEW HORSE AND CARRIAGE BAZAR, Nos. 211, 213 and 215 Nos. 211, 213 and 215, 11th street, south of Pennsylvania avenue, and 1010 C street north, Washington, D. C.

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HAN. C. ADDISON,

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Washington, D. C., feb 2-3m

By Green & Wise. RY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST. D dated January 31st, 1870, Anthony Moran, and duly recorded, the undersigned, Trustee therein named, will on SAT-URDAY, the 13th day of May next, in front of the Mayor's office, in the city of Alexandria, Virthe Mayor's office, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, offer for sale, by public auction, the following property, viz: A LOT OF GROUND in said city, with BRICK STORE and can be be be be been south side of King st. 40 feet to the westward of Fairfax street. 20 feet front and 90 feet deep, and occupied by Anthony Moran. The said property will be sold to pay a debt of \$2,000, and what interest may have accused, secured by said deed

terest may have accrued, secured by said deed to Mrs. Margaret J. Baldwin. Terms cash. GEORGE W. BRENT, VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE NEAR
ALEXANDRIA.—In execution of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax, rendered at
the June term, 1870, in the suit of Collard and
wife we Miller the undersigned will expose for wife vs. Millan, the undersigned will expose for sale, by public auction, at Fairfax Court House, on MONDAY, the 17th day of April, 1871, Court day, that beautiful FARM, in the county of Fairfax, now occupied by R. T. Stonnell, former purchaser, who has failed to comply with the terms of sale. This farm was originally the property of Mrs. Susanna Millan, who occupied it at the time of her death. The tract lies upon the road leading from Alexandria to Fredericks-burg, known as the Telegraph road, and the waters of Doeg run; is about six miles from Alexandria, and adjoins the lands of Dr. Chase and the late M. Mason and Dennis Johnston it

contains 130 acres, and has upon it a comfortable DWELLING, Barn, Stable and other outbuildings, and is of good quality.

Also, a TRACT containing 20 seres, about one mile from the tract above described—all in wood. Terms: One-tenth of the purchase money in hand; the residue in 6, 12 and 18 months, with interest, to be secured by bond and approved se-curity, and retention of the title. Land to be resold upon the failure of the purchaser to comply with the terms of sale, with the forfeiture of the cash payment LAW. B. TAYLOR. the cash payment.

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NOTICE-By virtue of a resolution of the Board of Directors of the Shenandoah Vadley Railroad Company, held at Alexandria, on Tuesday, the 14th instant, a general meeting of the Stockholders of the said Company will be held at Charlestown, Jefferson county, West Virginia, on TUESDAY, the 18th day of April, 1871. A full attendance is respectfully requested. By order of the Board : P. B. BORST, President